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NEW COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT PRODUCED

MAKING DIAL TELEPHONE STATIONS -- Moskovskiy Bol'shevik, No 186, 9 Aug 49

Enterprises of the Ministry of Communications Equipment Industry are now serially producing dial telephone exchanges of the 10-digit system. Such equipment has been installed in Moscow this year for 30,000 circuits.

Enterprises of the ministry are simultaneously producing for Moscow special intermediate equipment which allows the joint operation of dial telephone exchanges of the 10-digit system with the existing dial telephone exchanges.

ARZ-49 RADIO SET MASS-PRODUCED -- Izvestiya, No 185, 7 Aug 49

The radio plant in Aleksandrov, Vladimir Oblast, has begun mass production of "ARZ-49" portable radio receivers.

Vechernyaya Moskva, No 193, 15 Aug 49

The Ministry of Communications Equipment Industry USSR is offering for sale the ARZ-49 radio receiving set. The set can be used to play phonograph records by means of an adapter. The cost of the set is 300 rubles.

PRICES LOWERED ON TELEVISION SETS -- Vechernyaya Moskva, No 177, 27 Jul 49

The Ministry of Communications Equipment Industry has lowered the prices on television receivers 35 - 50 percent as of 20 July. The Moskvich T-1 set now costs 1,500 rubles and the Leningrad T-1 set costs 2,000 rubles.

DNEPROPETROVSK PLANT BUILDS NEW RADIOS -- Komsomol'skaya Pravda, No 193, 17 Aug 49

The Dnepropetrovsk Radio Plant has designed a new four-tube radio receiver for use in track watchmen's booths. The radio operates on batteries or an electrical outlet. The plant will produce 500 of these "Puteyets" radios in the near future. They will be installed in watchmen's shacks on the Stalin Railroad System.

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ESTONIAN PLANT MAKES NEW RADIO RECEIVER -- *Izvestiya*, No 162, 4 Aug 49

To date the "Panama-RAT" Radio Plant in Tallin has produced more than 2,000 VV632 six-tube radio receivers.

LENINGRAD PLANT PRODUCES NEW X-RAY INSTALLATIONS -- *Sovetskaya Latvya*, No 185, 7 Aug 49

The "Burevestnik" Plant in Leningrad has produced a number of new universal X-ray installations. They perform structural and spectral analysis of metals and other crystalline substances by means of photography. The installation is portable and can be operated from a regular electric network with a voltage of 127 - 220 volts.

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